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Re: FD2000

I wish to express my appreciation for the Department's leadership in Food Distribution 2000. I specifically like the attempt to allow pilot projects of limited scope and duration that may improve the future of commodities and their distribution to school districts throughout the nation. I urge you to continue the momentum that has been established and to disregard those who are opposed to change.

The efforts of some to protect their own turf at the expense of the National School Lunch Program are despicable. I believe Secretary Glickman and Under Secretary Watkins are correct in their assessment that the commodity program must be reengineered to fit the 21st century.

Sincerely,

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Director of Food Services

